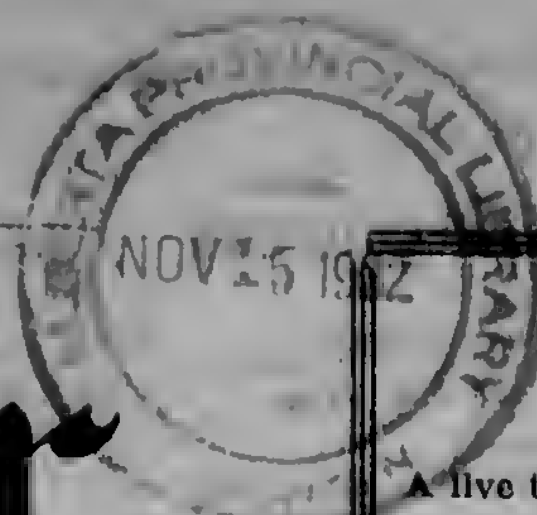


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F. D. ROOSEVELT SWAMPS HOOVER IN STATES

Stake Conference Is Held

The regular Quarterly Conference of the Taylor Stake of Zion convened last Saturday evening and Sunday, with Pres. H. S. Allen presiding at all sessions. Despite the busy season and the attractions of the past week, every session was characterized by a good attendance.

The first meeting convened at 7:30 p.m. Saturday night, and the 7:30 p.m. Saturday night, and the first speaker was Pres. Allen, who in a five minute talk outlined the efforts of the Correlation Committee of the various wards, in their efforts to get the boys between the ages of 10 & 20 actively engaged in some good project. He urged the parents to assist in this work by example and also by encouragement.

Pres. J. W. Evans spoke next showing the progress that had been made in these activities and showing our standing as compared with the Church. A good work had been done, but there was much room for improvement, and conditions showed a big field as yet untouched.

Elder Paulson of Magrath spoke next explaining the efforts the Elders were making in this regard, and concluded by saying "Let's see if all good teaching is to first create a desire and then deliver the message."

Elder Earl P. Tanner, speaking for the Seventies spoke of the opportunities we have of developing leaders, and the great amount of good that could be accomplished if we improved upon these.

The keynote of the Sunday morning meeting was sounded by Pres. O. H. Snow, who spoke of the work the women have to do in furthering the Priesthood cause, and stated that the example of faith and courage of the women was a great and powerful help in the bettering of the spiritual standing of their husbands.

Mrs. Ririe, Stake President of Relief Societies followed up the thought of Pres. Snow and stated that in all the educational institutions of the world, there were none to compare with the home, and that the teaching and example of the mother is the greatest single force in all the world for good or evil in the life of an individual.

Mrs. Irene Redd, President of the Stake Primary Association took a few minutes to explain the preparation work carried on by the Primaries in faith building, and work they were doing to make good Deacons and Scouts of the boys.

The work of the Correlation Committee in measuring progress and checking on conditions, as well as some of the splendid work accomplished where this body was functioning as it should be, was explained briefly by Wm. Redd, Stake Supervisor of Correlation work.

Mac Hicken of the Raymond First Ward Deacons and Pingree Tanner a Priest of the Magrath First Ward spoke briefly on faith promoting factors in the lives of our leaders.

Melvin King suggested a key to success and interest was "Something to do and then see that it is done. He illustrated this point by a very interesting and well applied story.

Bishop Elmer Ririe of the Magrath First Ward was the concluding speaker Sunday morning, and making a plea for greater effort on our part in the training of the boys and girls he said, "Children are as clay in the hands of the sculptor and might be molded into a beautiful masterpiece if we but do our part in this work."

The Conference was concluded at 2 p.m. and the first item of business was the presentation of the General

and Stake authorities of the Church for the support of the people.

Elder Arthur Dahl was the first speaker in the afternoon and stressed the value of Temple work as the outstanding finish to a wonderful school of experiences the Church has to offer its members, and urged the young as well as the old to become better acquainted with this part of our religion.

Elshep Ellis Heminger of the Magrath Second Ward was brief in his remarks, but he made it very plain that wickedness and sin can never bring happiness, but a worthy effort is always crowned with real joy.

Pres. A. E. Palmer of the Lethbridge Stake spoke next, stating that in times such as these the weak spots of any organization were revealed, and that while many were blaming the Churches for failure to solve our problems he felt that the Churches and Ministers were not as much to blame as the people, who were not really converted to their principles.

Bishop Walker of the Raymond Second Ward referred to a prophecy of Heber C. Kimball describing our day and conditions, and stated that while we had been tried, and there may be a fall in the future, our most severe trials were in the future, and he asked, "Will we be able to remain true to our faith?"

The special numbers for this session were Vocal Solos by Mrs. Earl Seoville and Mrs. Heber Allen, and two Solos by Wm. Clark of Stirling. Stake Chorister C. F. Tolstrup had charge of the singing and an orchestra assisted the Choir and the soloists.

The Stake Mutual program was put over in the evening and Wm. C. Stone was the first speaker on the subject of "Music" and the efforts that were being put forth to cultivate a greater appreciation of this art in Mutual work.

Myron Holmes spoke of the work in Drama and the effort being made to lead people to an appreciation of the better things in this art. He gave a reading to illustrate his point.

Solon Low in charge of Public Speaking condemned the idea prevalent amongst us of being unprepared and trusting to the Lord to bring forth something that was not there. We should prepare and then the spirit of the Lord could help us. Training in Public Speaking was available at no cost in the Mutual.

Mrs. C. O. Asplund spoke of the beauty of dancing and plead for greater support in this respect, and a Violin Duo by the Ririe sisters of Magrath, accompanied by their mother, followed by song and prayer, brought to an end a very interesting and successful Conference.

News Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Alma Hancock, Mrs. Christensen and son LeMay and Mrs. Stan Cook were in Magrath on Sunday visiting relatives.

"I L.A." at the Capitol on Saturday. Be there and see and enjoy the best show of the season. The show, "I L.A." and also 2 on Saturday.

School was dismissed on Tuesday night for the remainder of the week so that the teachers would be free to go to the Convention in Lethbridge on Wednesday and Thursday Nov. 9 and 10.

Democratic Candidate Rolls Up Over 1,500,000 Majority in Early Polls

Roosevelt Captures New York and Illinois By Tremendous Majorities, Breaks Into Corn Belt and Recaptures "Solid South -- Senator Smoot of Utah Appears to be Victim of Landslide Roosevelt Has 472 Electoral Votes to 75 for Hoover -- Democrats Winning

NEW YORK, Nov. 9 (C.P.) -- Shortly after midnight tonight Pres. Herbert Hoover conceded the triumph of his Democratic opponent, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, in the Presidential elections. He prepared a message of congratulation.

It became apparent the Democratic party would have a victory comparable to the sweep for Hoover in 1928.

Fighting for complete control of the Legislative as well as executive branches of the government of the United States, they already control

the House, the Democrats at an early hour had elected eight Senators. The Republicans had elected one. Democrats gained seven seats from Republicans in the House.

At his hotel in New York the smiling winner of the Presidential contest said: "I refuse to comment until I have heard from the West Coast."

As he spoke returns rolling in from the mid west, some from the north west and first polls from the Pacific Coast states added to his mounting majority in the south and east.

Carnival Is Big Success

The Second Ward Carnival for 1932 is now history. Friday night witnessed the biggest crowd ever assembled at the building as both ends were packed with people, and the rotunda accommodating all that could find standing room. Sitting down was not thought of and when one wanted to go to any other part of the building it was a case of waiting for the crowd to move, and this slow motion from place to place, was just about perpetual.

At 11:30 the people were still flooring in to get a taste of the Carnival spirit and to witness the draw for the new Tudor Ford which was given away as the Grand Prize of the evening. The building sounded like the Tower of Babel trying to clear out all their stock with all the salesmen and ladies before the final curtain was rung down, and while they did not succeed they came pretty close, and a tremendous amount of goods was sold during the three nights of the Carnival.

Mr. Wardman of Lethbridge was the holder of the lucky ticket that won the Car and while not present his wife in Lethbridge was advised of their good fortune and during

Saturday afternoon with some friends came to Raymond and took the car home. She was almost speechless when Bishop Walker told her that she and her husband were the winners of a new Ford, as she did not even know that a ticket for the Carnival had been purchased. While here they were shown thru the building by Bishop Walker and were loud in their praise of its appointments and grandeur.

Friday night's crowd was estimated at from 1,500 to 2,500 and probably 2,000 would be a pretty close estimate to the number who were milling around in the halls and corridors until after 1 p.m. Saturday morning when the Carnival was concluded. Both orchestras were busy all night long, of both ends of the building taxed to capacity for every dance of the evening. People were present from all over the West in ticket being sold Friday night to a party from Winnipeg. Everyone had a very enjoyable time, and the rumblings of the Carnival and funfest will travel with those who attended far and wide over the prairies.

Bishop Walker and his assistants are to be congratulated for the success of the enterprise.

In Flanders Field

In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard among the guns below.

We are the Dead, Shot days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lay
In Flanders field.

Take up our quarrel with the foe;
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high;
If ye break faith with us who die,
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
In Flanders fields.

Beet Harvest Is Now Over

The beet harvest is over, and tons a day is getting to be a regular occurrence. Sugar is going high in the warehouse and warehouses in other cities are filling up as the early season estimate of 138,000 tons. Take you pencils folks, and figure this out at \$6.25 per ton, which price will likely be reached unless we have some keen disappointments in the matter of sugar prices.

The handling of the present crop has been done with very little loss and the officials of the Company in charge of this work are to be congratulated. The hauling of the sliced beets commenced this week, and each grower will be allowed a certain tonnage per day until all the beets have been hauled, which will not likely be before the end of the year, and later if the weather happens to be severe. The piles of sliced beets dotting the fields all over are a new sight to many of us, because in previous years the roots have been hauled to the Factory just about as rapidly as they have been dug.

The beets are going through the mill rapidly, and each of the three shifts are endeavoring to outstrip each other in tonnage, and 1,300

Scouts Dig Carrots and Potatoes

From the garden of Mr. Aaron Ross seven live scouts Friday night, dug about ten racks of carrots and potatoes. These had been left in the ground when Mr. Ross hurriedly took his son James to Salt Lake because of a badly broken shoulder blade. This is a splendid turn boys and our seniors might well learn a lesson from such work.

The boys were—Berl Boyson, Willis Taylor, Apra Horaka, Toru Iowasa, Cano Sigmonto, Gug Alexander and David Wood.

Make Denial That Inflation Is Being Considered

But Federal Capital Easy With R mors Inflation Steps In

SPECULATORS SHOW GREAT INTEREST

Ottawa, Nov 8—Hon E. N. Rhodes denied that the government had taken any action which would artificially raise or lower the value of the Canadian dollar, coupled with his statement yesterday that the government had made no decision to depart officially from the gold standard, left Ottawa all at sea in regard to the action of the Canadian dollar the last four or five days. —Lethbridge Herald.

News Notes

Police Magistrate J. W. Low, of Cardston was a Raymond visitor on Tuesday on official business.

St. Peter—And here is your Cold on Harp.

Newly Arrived American: How much is the first payment.

John Shafer of Lethbridge, representing the Singer Sewing Machine Company was in Raymond and Regina on Company business.

Armistice Prayer

Did you ever see the wooden cross
That stood near St. Eloi,
Marking the grave of a Princess Pat
A brave Canadian boy?

He left his home and loved ones,
To answer his country's call,
As a volunteer and full of cheer
That Canadian boy did fall.

Decorations he has none
For valor or duty done,
His aged mother was left to mourn
Her soul with anguish torn.

No more she hears the cheery prattle
Of the boy she loved so well,
A mother's lot, in time of battle,
No pen nor tongue can tell.

What is war to you or I?
Why should the pick of nations die?

Driven to slaughter just like cattle,
Amidst the din and roar of battle

Let us teach the tiny tots
The harm that was done
When the nations were at war,
Fighting against the Hun.

Picture the crosses at the base,
Row upon row, each in their place
O'er each cross a tear was shed
For a loved one reported dead.

On Armistice Day let us pray
That war shall be no more;
Also for a lasting peace,
This wide, wide world o'er.

On Flanders fields poppies grow,
Stained by the blood of man,
Their heads hang low in twilight's glow,
In reverence to our friends laid low.

Poppies red with crimson hue,
Kissed by sunshine and morning dew
In the summer's breeze they gently sway
O'er the khaki and the grey.

—43517. DED PATCH

News Notes

Harry Parker Alberta Government Telephone man of Cardston was here on Tuesday and Wednesday on official business.

"I L.A. NUM BLONDE" at the Capitol tomorrow and Saturday. Be there and see and enjoy the best show of the season. Two shows Friday and also 2 on Saturday.

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REMEMBRANCE DAY

Tomorrow, Friday November 11th, we pause in the hurry and scurry of everyday life to pay homage to those who paid the supreme sacrifice on the battlefields of Europe that world peace may be won, and that was culminated by the signing of the Armistice that silenced the guns of war and brought peace and quiet to a war torn world.

The price was great but was it too great? They fought bravely, they died the same way to win for the world the peace that has followed since the four terrible years of war. There is nothing that can be done for the ones who made the supreme sacrifice, but there is much for those of us who remain to do, to uphold the rights and privileges for which they fought so well. While we honor their memory and revere their record, what shall we say of the task that is ours to carry on and keep the world as they left it to us, a safe abode for freedom and for peace loving citizens.

Today, more than at any time in the history of the world we are faced with the problems of unemployment, hunger and suffering. We have our store houses full and running over, and yet those who fought and bled for us, and their dependents are actually suffering for the necessities of life to say nothing of the comforts. The spirit of rebellion is growing by leaps and bounds, and it seems that every feeble effort of parliaments and legislative bodies only makes the matter worse. What would the dead say or present conditions if they were permitted to speak to us.

Where is the initiative, the self-sacrifice, the leadership and the determination that brought the world out of the World War a cradle for democracy and the pursuit of life, liberty and happiness? Where is the altruistic sentiment that made no price too great to win these victories? It seems that selfishness, and the love of self, the spirit of fear has overshadowed everything else, and today even the ones who could help are afraid to do so.

In reverencing the memory of our departed dead, let us not forget that we are faced with the duty of caring for those who are left, and from past experience no feasible plan has so far been worked out.

Byron Wall was on a business trip to Calgary and intermediate points last week.

IS IT A GAMBLE?

Many arguments have been heard or lat, about the recent Carnival. Some long, rye faces have been distorted beyond all recognition because they have supposed that the sacred church has been polluted. Some have doubted as to whether or not it might be so. Some have termed it really unfortunate that such a thing should happen in our community, and some have gone to the extreme and dubbed it the greatest holdup gamble yet pulled off.

Before I cast my lot with any of these opinions I prefer to stop and listen.

A gamble is defined as a game of chance to obtain money. Well and good. We all admit there was plenty of game and plenty of chance, but I am not yet ready to condemn. We must know that our entire life is one of chance, and the survival is not always to the fittest but to the lucky fish which dodged the whale. Our entire financial structure is built around that principle of chance. The stock market, the wheat pool, the truck, etc., are all games of chance of our day. They are legalized social activities which we all sanction, but nevertheless they are games which furnish a handsome revenue to certain parasites who have no other means of support.

This method used by the Second Ward to raise a little money is the only one at hand for hundreds of just such social workers whose sole object is to aid some worthy cause, not to make money. Our sympathy for that cause will determine perhaps the degree to which we might condemn or condone.

We condemn the roulette wheel and other chance machines in restaurants and dives because of the gamblers, back of it is to make money, and the filth and corruption usually found in these places justify this condemnation.

The Second Ward Carnival had a cause back of it which more would question. The effort back of this drive was to give to the town of Raymond a beautiful church home of which we are all proud. It seemed that every soul east of Broadway was fighting all the powers that be to make this drive one grand success. It is strange to say, but I have failed yet to find one of those busy people with a long rye face or a question of right or wrong. Has the dividing line a slight bearing on the subject. May it be an answer?

I've went and would say it's shame, but persistent smoke makes one wonder. I did my part as a citizen because I feel that building is an asset to my town and therefore my responsibility, my duty to do my part and not spend my time at a bridge party while this was going on. I got my money's worth and feel to congratulate any group with the spirit back of it to do

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— Contributed.

News Notes

T. Geo. Wood was a business visitor in Edmonton most of last week.

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Mrs. Ross Salmon and infant son are home from the Lethbridge Hospital and both are doing very well. They came home the latter part of the week.

The wind was blowing a gale all day Saturday, and dust and small particles of gravel in the air stung almost like a switch when they hit one in the face.

The old swimming pool has been filled with water for winter fire protection and a 10 wire fence has been erected around it to protect small children who may otherwise get too close.

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Mrs. Wm. Cooper and a couple of her boys were here from Cardston for the big Carnival Friday night. They returned home the same night.

Curiosity

"No, sir," said the clerk, "I can't give you a room. The best I can do is to give you half of a private room. The other is across it, and a lady has the other half, but I reckon she won't bother you."

"Thirty minutes later he ran into the lobby, wild eyed and pale. . . .

"Here," he yelled to the clerk, "this woman is dead."

"I know it," said the clerk, "but how did you find out?"

or we should say the next morning, as it was morning before the Carnival let out.

Dust's Measures Needed

Her husband being slightly indisposed, the young wife tried to take the patient's temperature, and in a state of great excitement scribbled this note to the doctor.

"Dear Doctor: Please come at once. My husband's temperature is at 136 degrees."

The physician replied:

"Dear Madam: The case is beyond my skill. Send for the fire engine."

The proud owner of the Austin car offered to take a friend into the country. The offer was accepted, and off they went at a very fair pace. After some time the friend turned to the driver and said: "I say, old man, when do we reach the country?"

"Country?" replied the other.

"Why we're in the country now."

"But hang it all," said the passenger, "all I have seen is that beastly wall on each side of us for miles."

"Well, indeed, that's the curb," said the owner.

News Notes

Miss Ida Coombs of Cardston spent the week-end visiting with friends here. She returned to Cardston on the bus Saturday night.

There are several cases of measles around town and many people have been victims of bad colds during the past week.

The house of representatives in Wellington, New Zealand, ratified the Imperial Conference treaty on Tuesday last.

Jobless in Saskatoon and Calgary caused trouble Monday and on Tuesday in the courts. Two of them were sentenced for vagrancy and put for inflicting riots.

"Don't eat too much jazz music" says a medical writer. It puts the lid on dinner and takes the rest out of restaurant.

We had our weekly snow on Sunday, and a few snowflakes on Tuesday, but the weather generally has been warm and pleasant with the sun shining most of the time.

School children are expected to be in attendance at the parade and program on Armistice Day tomorrow. The program is scheduled at the conclusion of the Parade which will start at 10:15.

Several attempts have been made to wreck Pres. Hoover's special train during the election recently, and while all of them have failed, several guards of roadbeds have been injured and explosives found near the side of the tracks in a number of places. The last one was made in Nevada when the President was returning home to Palo Alto, Cal., to vote on Tuesday.

Damage resulting from the riots in St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary outside of Montreal has been estimated by officials at \$500,000, and on Tuesday of this week a third minor riot broke out, but was quelled immediately. One guard in the riot cutting department was injured when his arm was broken and his scalp torn following an attack by a sledge hammer from one of the prisoners.

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Parliamentary News Service

The discussion on the Imperial Conference agreement has been very interesting of the famous "blank cheque" case last session in which the seldom used rule of closure was employed to bring the matter to a vote. The date was announced and the stage set for a division more than once but each time some unexpected occurrence delayed it. Whatever the general feeling among the members in regard to the agreements, when the House opened, prolonged discussion developed partizan sentiment until the matter became a straight party fight as far as the two old parties were concerned. The "southeast corner" group, as the assorted independents are called generally, were divided according to individual opinion, although they were practically unanimous in declaring that any possible preferences Canada might acquire by the agreements were quite nullified by the adverse exchange rates, compared with competing countries. A number of the independents supported the agreements on the ground that as Great Britain has adopted protection, it would be better to be in the preferred group of nations than to be subject to the British ten per cent import against the products of all other countries. Some considered that to implement the treaty would hasten the day when the government would see the necessity of adjusting exchange to conform with that of other European countries.

With the government's large majority in the House there was never a doubt at any time that the agreements would be approved on division and some of the government's supporters suggested that the official opposition was taking advantage of this fact to make a grandstand play against the treaty. To an onlooker there seemed to be considerable ground for this accusation but on the other hand, almost all the Conservative members neglected the opportunity for statesmanlike defence of the agreements and occupied their forty minutes in the same sort of partizan campaign speeches with which they charged their opponents.

Several amendments were offered by the opposition during the discussion, but all were ruled out of order except, one by Mr. Coote (U.F.A. Maceod). The Alberta member said he had expected to speak on the agreements feeling that the matter had been fully discussed from all angles, but the decision just report-

ed in the press that Canadian wheat stored in United States elevators would not come under the preferential clause had given the matter a new aspect. Mr. Coote gave the House facts and figures to show that this decision was most detrimental to the Canadian wheat grower as wheat in storage in New York is often carried by the big liners as ballast at lower rates than charged by regular freighters. He was of the opinion also, that if it became necessary to ship all Canadian wheat there, would soon be on increased in rates and at the present price of wheat the farmers could not endure an increase of even a fraction of a cent a bushel.

Mr. Coote's amendment asked that the ratification of the Conference agreements be dependent on the undertaking of the government to bring the Canadian dollar on a parity with the British pound. Motion out of order, as the matter of exchange had not been dealt with at the Conference and it was "merely an explosive negotiation." After some discussion Mr. Speaker Black declared the amendment in order whereupon Hon. H. H. Stevens asked that the amendment be not pressed, as endangering the whole body of the agreements. The Minister of Trade and Commerce said he was in sympathy with those members who contend that the farmers of this country cannot liquidate their debts under present conditions. In regard to the currency problem Mr. Stevens said "Speaking only for myself I can say quite frankly that I am strongly inclined to the view that action might be taken, satisfactorily and successfully, by Canada. The fact that other hon. gentlemen do not agree with me in that view is no reflection on them, it indicates perhaps that I may have a more reckless nature or a more adventurous temperament than they. Their views may be more wise but we must recognize that this is not a simple question, it is a problem that has puzzled the brains of the statesmen of the British Empire but of other countries. This matter (of exchange) might well engage the attention of the House in all seriousness and earnestness. I think we should first dispose of the motion, which merely gives the House the opportunity to proceed with the study of the agreements in detail, and then the matter of the amendment could very properly be considered as a major problem in itself. I am anxious

to co-operate with any hon. member in the study and possible achievement of the solution of this problem". Mr. Stevens' appeal was not acceded to, however, and a division was called on the amendment.

The afternoon papers having a different view of the debate at that (evening) session the galleries were crowded and the onlookers were rewarded with an interesting division although not the one they came to see. The members a division was called those in their seats passed the time in songs and jokes interchanged good naturedly among all parties. The amendment was defeated by a vote of 109 to 71 the entire opposition except two members voting for it and the whole government group against it. Another amendment was offered later by Mr. Donnelly (Lib. Willow Bunch) that the treaty as a whole should not be voted upon until the clauses had been debated and approved. The Prime Minister declared this amendment entirely out of order and it was so ruled by the Speaker. During the whole debate on the treaty the opinion was repeatedly expressed that the agreements should have been examined and debated in detail before adopting it as a whole, but it has not been done that way, although there has been no explanation from the government as to why not. The examination of the clauses is expected to occupy about two weeks, when there is talk of adjournment, but the "southeast corner" is manifesting a determination to have some discussion on the prevailing economic distress in Canada, which they regard as much too serious to be ignored by the present session of the House.

The discussion of the Conference treaty brought out some excellent speeches, especially among the younger members in the House, who even though attached to one or other of the old parties, are not quite such hide-bound partisans as the older men. Also the independent members, with no party traditions to uphold, were able to discuss the agreements on their merits as the clauses appeared to them to affect Canadian economic conditions. Space will not allow detailed reports of speeches to any great extent but it is not through lack of merit many of them are omitted.

A diversion was occasioned in the House at one sitting when Mr. Speaker Black ruled out of order a motion to adjourn the debate on the treaty, in order to discuss matters in connection with the Sun Life Assurance Co. The motion was introduced by M. P. Hepburn West Elgin, leader of the Liberal party in Ontario but the text of his motion was not put on record as he was not allowed to read it. Mr. Speaker declared the matter was neither recent nor urgent, as required by rule 51 which provides for the adjournment of a debate "to discuss a matter of the utmost public importance." The Speaker's ruling was challenged by J. B. Woodsworth, who said "I have been a member of this House a good many years and I have never known an action so arbitrary." On the question being put as to whether the Speaker's ruling should be upheld the government members vociferously shouted "Aye" but the opposition demanded a division which of course resulted in the same way. The Conservatives voted solidly in favor of the Speaker's ruling, as were supported by fifteen Liberals, the remaining Liberal and all the independents supporting Mr. Woodsworth's objection to the ruling. Of the fifteen Liberals voting with the government only two were westerners, G. W. McPhee of Yorkton, Sask., and A. E. Mann of North Vancouver, B.C. A curious feature of the division was the refusal of Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King and Hon. Mr. Lapointe to vote: the question on the ground of having no knowledge of the matter on which the House was voting—which looked like an alibi or themselves as a condemnation of the ruling of the members.

Up to the passing of the treaty by the House of Commons the Senate has been unable to keep itself employed, although a little time was spent on the Duff railway report. This was given to the Senate first in order that the recommendations might be made public without too much delay, but it is not expected there will be any discussion on it in the House before adjournment. It will be a contentious subject when it does come up.

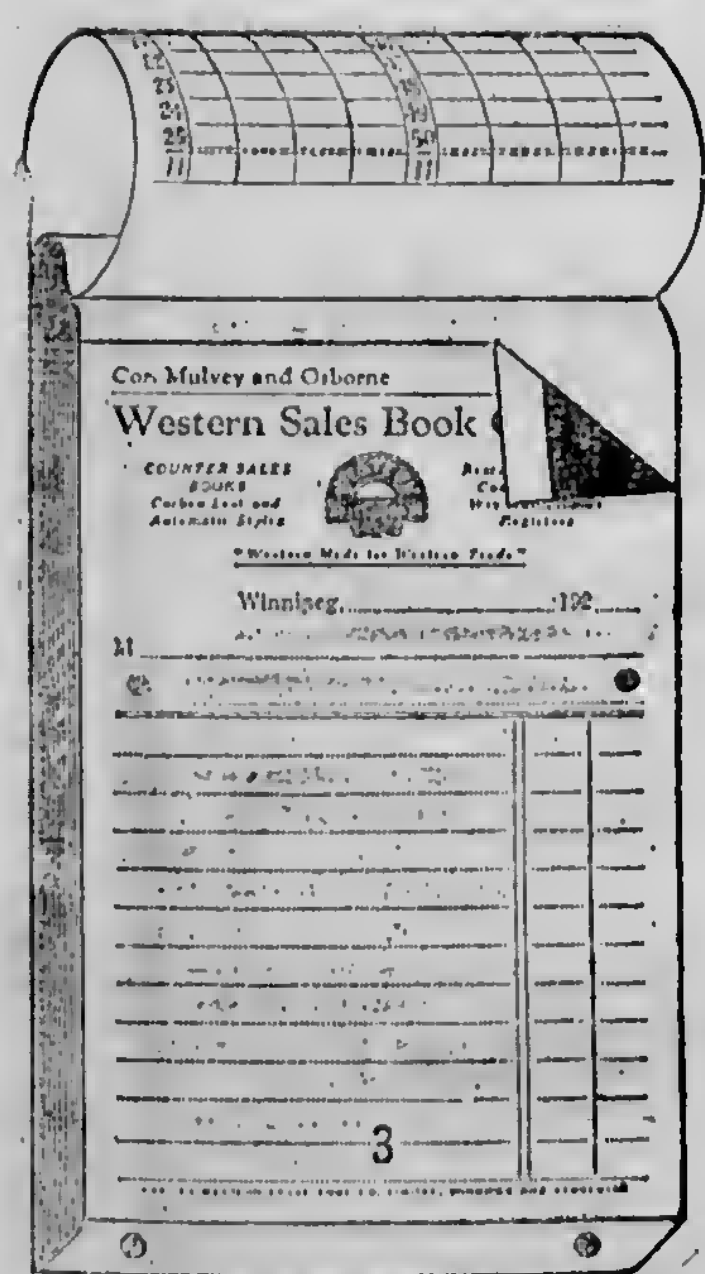
Aaron Alfred of Hill Spring spent part of last week with relatives and friends here. He also attended to business while here.

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A serious accident was caused on Friday night owing to the neglect of a truck driver in sounding warning of his approach.

Mr. G. F. Hovey, aged 64, was thrown from a wagon breaking two ribs and otherwise badly shaken up because of a frightful team plunging ahead into a ditch when a rattling truck suddenly and without warning tried to pass on a too narrow road.

The driver stopped and picked Mr. Hovey up in a semi-conscious condition and rendered first aid, then took him to the Doctor.

Mr. Hovey is doing nicely considering his age and the seriousness of the break, and will soon be completely recovered.

News Notes

Mrs. O. H. Snow and Mrs. Aaron Rosa returned Friday night from their trip to Utah.

Misses Naomi Vance and Jennie Finnan spent the week end in Baymond, and took in the Central while here. They returned to Cardston Sunday evening.

The Lethbridge Aces Basketball team has been reorganized and will start work soon and this year they are going out after the Provincial and possibly the Dominion championship.

The Provincial Government is caring for single jobless in Calgary pending opening of Relief Camps by the Federal Government. The men will be provided with two meals a day and a bed ticket. When the Relief Camps are opened, those who refuse to go to them will be struck off the list and refused any more meals or beds.

News Notes

Owing to stormy weather the Parade and Program for Armistice Day has been called off.

Ghandi says he will renew his hunger strike on New Year's day if the terms of the treaty made recently are not carried out.

Gray Kitcham was helping in the Merc. this week while his father was still laid up with flu and complications.

The Board of Trade meeting scheduled for Monday night was postponed because of a lack of attendance following the two months holiday.

Two carloads of prize Hereford stock from the McIntyre Ranching Co. south of Magrath left on Saturday's freight for the Toronto Royal Exhibition to be held shortly.

Meetings are now being held at various points in the Province protesting against the proposal of the Government to organize the Province into 40 Municipal Districts as a means to economy in the government of the Province. It will also be taken to mean that the Government intends reducing the representation in the Provincial House to 40 members instead of 63 as at present. No action has been taken locally re the suggestion but the whole question will likely be threshed out at the coming Convention of Municipalities in Calgary from November 16 to 18.

News Notes

123 of the 111 city owned cars in New York have been turned in by order of the acting Mayor Jos. Morone and taxis and subways are being used by officials.

The Greyhound bus line is doing a bang office business these days and nearly every day sees a large number from here going to Lethbridge and back.

At their recent convention the United Farmers of Manitoba decided to stay out of politics, but to co-operate with the Farm Bodies of Western Canada in an effort to effect a political union of the prairie provinces.

Mrs. Christensen and son LeMay of Stirling were Raymond visitors on Sunday last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hancock and Mrs. Stanley Cook.

Vanilla well No. 5 in the Red Coulee field was drilled into production last week, and is now on pump expected to make a 40 barrel per day output.

Unity Saskatchewan was visited by a \$20,000 fire Friday which razed two buildings, housing a cafe, tailor shop and electrical shop. The cause of the fire was unknown.

Wheat gained 2 cents on Monday but dropped again a fraction of a cent on Tuesday. Street talk maintained that Canada would soon go on the Gold Standard, and stated that the drop in the value of the Dollar and the rise in wheat prices were considered as proof that this might be the case.

1,200 head of Ramsgoulett ewes from one to three years old were shipped out of the Magrath and Raymond district last week to the Dominion Agricultural Credit Company at Regina. Most of the sheep came from the Magrath district and the price is reported at about \$5.00 per head.

Over 90 p.c. of the Wheat Growers of Rumsey, Alberta, in a meeting recently voted for a nation wide strike of farmers before the seeding season of 1933 as a protest against present conditions confronting the farmers. The meeting decided to ask farmers in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba to all co-operate in this action.

G. Hovey is at home under the Doctor's care following an accident last week when his team got away from him and threw him under the wagon and the wheels passed over him breaking two ribs. He is getting along as well as can be expected, but his ribs are sore and painful. His many friends hope for his speedy and complete recovery.

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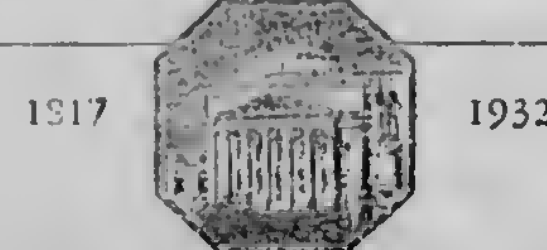
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